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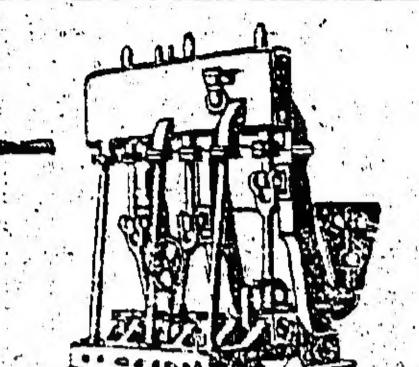
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#### TELEGRAMS. TO-DAY'S

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## THE BATTLE IN ITALY.

HEAVY LOSSES INFLICTED ON

AUSTRIANS.

LONDON, June 25 An Italian official report states :-They Third Army on Monday, having compelled the bast, enemy rearguard to surrender, re-occupied completely the right bank of the Pinye taking prisoner 18 officers and [

1.607 men. During the raids on the slopes of Rome, June 25. Monti-di-Valdella and the Asiago plateau we captured 100 prisoners. graphed to Signor Orlando, express-Along the north-western from of ing the enthusiasm of the Serbs over Grappa, after heavy artiflery firing, Italy's brilliant victory, which brings we, in brilliant thrusts, gained con- pearer the accomplishment of the siderable advantages and ground! war's great task; namely, to enforce We inflicted heavy losses and took respect too the rights of all peoples.

,833" prisoners and 16 machine-

### KING GEORGE CONGRATULATES THE ITALIAN ARMY.

London, June 25. The Press Bureau states:-His Majesty the King has telegraphed to the King of Italy:

Heartiest congrutulations upon the victorious results in the recent operations in which the Italian Army fought with gallantry and fortitude, which has elicited the admiration, of invself and the British people."

### AUSTRIAN' RETREAT BEGAN ON BATURDAY:

Loxbox, June 25.

Headquarters states :--Saturday night, the enemy leaving a small rearguard of machine-gune. The Italian sentries discovered the weakening of the enemy line, early Three of ours are missing." on Sunday morning, when their strong pressure was immediately inachine on the 23rd.

# LAST BUNDAY'S BATTLE.

SUBLIME ITALIAN ONRUSH

Loxpon, June 25. Italian Correspondents, describing the buttle on Sunday, state that the onrush of the Italians was sublime. The Austrians, who had crossed to the right bank of the Piave previously, lived hours, of hell. respite was given them and they were shelled day and night. The bridges were demolished and boats sunk and those who succeeded in cl'mbing the giver banks were mercilessly shot down. Then the coup de gruce was given them when some Italians reached the left bank, north of Montello, and took the enemy in the renr Others sinushed the line Collegella Madonna I and drove Austrians pell-mell into the river SHIPBUILDING IN THE UNITED simultaneous Itulian attack at the other extremity of the Piave also diove the Austrians into the river The battle continued furiously all

one after another, and the ground was stresvir with heaps of dead.

Sunday afternoon and enemy

machine guir positions were taken,

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AUSTRIAN BLUFF

An Austrian communique cla that the withdrawal everywhere the Piave was according to plan. It states that the Halians, since Time 15 have lost 50,000 in prisoners their total losses being 150,000.

# GREAT DEMONSTRATION IN ROME.

Rome, June 25. There was a great demonstration," ENEMY REARGUARD SURRENDER. this evening, in honour of the Army in the bedlagged Vepezia Square. An enormous crowd, carrying flags, gave ovations to fervent and patriothe orations. Asterwards the croyd murched in procession to the House of Parlament and to the Eremier's.

### SERBIAN PREMIER'S MESSAGE.

spoke from the balcony.

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# THE WESTERN FRONT

"NOTHING TO REPORT."

Loxbox, June 25; Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports? -There is nothing to report.

BATTLES IN THE AIR.

ENEMY-INVITES NO COMBATS! Loxbox, Jime 25.

Field Marshal Sir Daugias Haig reporting, on a valuonagenty star-Thespiter of high wind our neroplanes did much reconnaissances and other work on the 24th, enabling our guns

to engage many batteries. Heavy rain later on provented Reuter's Correspondent at Italian flying. During intervals we vigorously (bombed behind the enemy st The Austrian retreat began on lines, dropping It tons of bombs. The enemy did not give us much

> chance for combats. We brought down two aeroplanes. We also brought down an additional-

# ARTILLERY ACTIVE ON FRENCH

London, June 25. A French communiqué states: There, is very lively artiflery firing, south of the Asne and in the northerly region of Dessilly, at Hapockle

On the 24th six enemy aeroplanes wete brought down. Four tons of bombs were dropped on aerodromes in the Alene region.

ENEMY ATTACKS ON BELGIAN

LONDON, June 25. A Belgium communique states :-There is reciprocal artillery activity near Nieuport and Rumscapple. Attempted attacks against three of our posts broke down.

STATES.

ENCOURAGING FIGURES. Washington, June 25. The first million tons of new shipping, contracted for by the Shipping Board, will probably be delivered

before the end of the month. The deliveries last, week totalled 87,880 dead weight toninge, making gmnd total of 024,200 tone for The first of 46 stool, ships which

ere being built in Japan for the Shipping Bourd has arrived in the United States Of 22 steel ships chartered from Japan, 22 have alrestly been delivered to the United

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 24th June to 3rd July, 1918, both days

GORDON & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, June 24, 1915.

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Superintendent. Imports and Exports. Hongkong, June 28, 1918,

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TRADE OF THE PHILIP-

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that in favour of the Islands on United, States trade amounted to P\$1,227,422.

cotton goods, P37,574,005, iron and steel P11,855,125, and rice P10,781,463. The three largest expert items were

hemp PD ,615,555, sugar P24,555,357 and cocosaut oil, P22,818,294. The growth of trade with Japan in

the five year period from 1912 to 1917 is indicated by the fact, that in 1917 she ranked second as a supply market for the Philippines, having sold the Islands P.16,432,436 worth of goods and third as a purchaser of Philippine goods, baving bought goods and products to the amount of P.14.655.943 while in 1912 she was rated among, "all others" after the United States. French Fast Indies, United Kingdom, Australia. Germany. British East Indies, China, France and

As a customer she stood fourth with total purchases of only P.5,130,246. In 1912 Germany bought products of the Islands amounting in value P.4,000,100, and sold, the Islands goods to the amount of P.5,656,356. In 1917 her account had been wiped off the

thina's imports to the Islands doubled in the same period, amounting in 1917 to Ps,514,651. Exports to China last year were only about half that, being P4,324,516 worth of products in all, mostly raw or half-manufactured

The Islands' showing both against night to warn belligerent airmen of its china and Japan is therefore not vicinity favourable and will not be until greater production is reached in food products and greater progress made toward manufacturing the raw products grown in the forests and fields. On the subject in general the Collector

of l'ustoms says : The changing commercial relations of the Philippine Islands with foreign countries, which was noted last year, is still marked, due to effects of the war. No trade is recorded with the central countries of Europe except as to suck merchandise as was expute before the commencement of the yar. Trade with the United Kingdom, which last year showed a substantial increase over prerious years, especially in regard to ex-parts, this year shows a decline of 11 per cent. principally due to reduced cent principally due to reduced experts. Trade with Japan, which showed an increase of 17 per cent. for 1916 over 1915, shows a greater increase this year over hist year amounting to 62 per cent. Trade with the French Last Indies declined 12 per cent., principally des to reduced free importations; the smount of exports, though small, having quadrupled. Trade with Franco shows a continued decline, loing lessethan one half that of the year 1915 Trade with China shows a subtential increase: being this year almost double that of 1915 both to imports and exports. Tes

same is true of the trade with Hong-

Trade with Spain shows a decline of 20 per cent. applicable both to imports and exports. Trade with Australasia almost doubled, both as to imports and exports, while trade with the British exports. East Indies shows a slight decline. Trade The annual report of the Philippines that of last year, which was less than

Collector of Customs for 1917, just off one-half that of the previous year one-half that of the previous year.

Year, stated in the Parliamentary Papers recently. with imports from the United States Siam, though small, shows an increase of amounting to P75,241,295 and exports to about 10 per cent., while with Norway the United States of P126,465,717. The theritary (Jupanese China) share a climb

than 1916, but the imports, though more than doubled. The more important trade relations are shown with The three largest items of import were United States, which received approxifurnished almost . three-fifths of imports, amounting to an increase of 72 per cent. over the year 1916, and more than double that of 1915,"

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War Office so long ago as 1887 with a view territory (Japanese China) show a slight to discovering how far it was possible to balance of total trade in favour of the increase, but exports decreased. Canada fire a shell. With a fire, gun this was Islands amounted to P59,814,552 and received 20 per cent less of our exports found to be about 30 miles, but the experiments, were discontinued on the ground that any such gun would be useless for military purposes, to say nothing of the difficulties of finding any suitable range upon which to test it. . .

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LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

NOT BEAD YET. .

London, April 26.

the opportunity to read his own the Boxer war in China. He obituary. The last to come before said to have more intimate knowmy notice is Sergeant Henry Jef. ledge of the German maval bases in feries, one of the five sons of Com- Belgium than any other officer in missioner Jefferics who has charge the Navy, . of the Salvation Army work in China. Commander F. A. Breck, of course Sergeant Jefferies was reported killed was connected with the great fire. last week, and at the Ilford Salvation work firm, and for that reason was Army Citadel on Sunday there was able to render great service to the a solemn memorial service, but on British forces on land and sea Monday morning his mother received various appliances manufactured a postcard from hun, stating that he his works. He was an inventive had been captured on the St. Quent'n genius and his friends all speak of front and was in an interpment camp him in tones of almost awed respect. in Germany. It is interesting, in- such was the strength of his personsidentally, to notice that the card slity. A keen golfer and member was a printed one and the printer's the Harlequins, he was a man of marks at the base of it showed that tempestuous character, and it was tures, for they had ordered a quarter name of "Fireworks," rather than of a million of these cards. The his connection with their manufacreality lines fallen a tremendous way behind that:

This was the second time for Sergenut Jefferies to be placed among the dead men, for last year, while he was in hospital in England, he glanced down the dist of casualties officially issued and found his name among those stated to have "gone west." Like Mark Twain he can now report that the report of his death is " gressly exaggerated.

THE CLORIOUS NAVY.

The blood of all of us has been the successful scaling of the channel and beceavement, and I fancy even accord with public sentiment. The at the former place, which has long been a submarine lair. The daving wings of the Air Service to blend " If the war, is just, the clergy of the plan, the skill of its prepara- harmoniously, with so many personal should be the first to volunteer. tion, and the deathless fact that for ambitions and departmental obstacles it is unjust, neither priest nor laya mission of almost certain death every anan invited to volunteer, leaped to the challenge, so that the to be able to supply it. difficulty was to select, not to discover men, all go to prove that the has övertaxed himself with success- justice, they are keen to help, and Nelson spirit survives. There are ful work as Food Controller, is likely many of them eager to fight. They scores of incidents, connected with there are reports of others to follow, of those in authority, and they agree the Zeebrugge attack that cause the The prospect of trouble in Ireland, that in this crisis the civilians at heart to leap with pride of race, where the Roman Cutholic clergy home can get along with fewer There was Captain Brock, the inven- have gone into evil alliance with the sermons. tor of the smoke screen that made Sinn Feiners, no doubt with the . The Bishop of London is out and seen picking out the blocks from the German guns on the mole at Zeeed by the woodwork, attended by two Marines 'who positively refused to leave him. There were two other officers of an attacking party who, finding their ship's grappling irons too narrow to grip the breastwork of the mole, jumped overboard and sat astride the stone work, holding the grappling from while the landing parties stormed ashore, until both were killed. There was the subharine commander who drove his! explosive-charged vessel into the inner end of the mole, set his time fended cases to be cleared off before fuses and then swarn until picked up. Whitsuntide, besides a host of de-There was the Lieutenant who had fended cases. Three features are. How times are changing may be un ann shot off and was trampled prominent in these wartime suits noted in the decision of the Earl of under foot by the landing force, but on being pulled uside by an officer alsence of issue. The overwhelming Alton estate in Staffordshire. Last mised his battered and bleeding body number of plaintiffs are husbands, I year he sold his Cheshire estates of

small bout before being rescued. Think of the fact that along that truly reflect the part women are infant son. The former is now the short shore between Ostend and playing im the war. Zeebrugge the Germans have at least 120 guns of large calibre that can concentrate their fire on any object get has made a frontal attack on our inxuries and even our comforts. as far as sisteen miles out to ses, JAPAN-Korz, Obland, Torro and Yoko and one marvels at the accomplish- liew. Most of us will have to postment, and the brilliant recklessness pone the purchase of luxuries for KERIUNG, MAKUNG, PINAN, SHIN-, of the British Navy. As the Dutch many long years, and the purveyors CHIRU, TAICHU, TARAN, TARON, papers have put it: What a of high-priced goods will suffer in CHINA—AMOY. CANTON, FOOCHOW, chinour there would have been in hardly in their profit on individual HANKOW, BIUKIANO, SHANGHAI, Germany, and what jubilation, if the articles, for they have already rushed OTHERS BITAVIA. BOMBAY, HONGKONG, German fleet had been able to get a up their charges, in spite of the fact Lorson, Sinoapore, Sorbanala, footing even for any short time on that the tukes in most cases are not Dover pier?" Another officer, Cap- yet operative. tain H. C. Halahan, who was pro- Maybe we shall all have to take Capital and Counties Bank, London, minent in planning the mid and was is scotched, but at any rate none of The Bank has Correspondents in the in charge of the blue jackets detailed us is thinking of being faint hearted Commercial centres of Russia. Man for landing on the mole, was killed about it. As a Bond Street milliner choria, Inde China, India, Philippine for landing on the mole, was killed about it. As a Bond Street milliner philosophically remarked on the even-Islands, Javs, Australia, America and early in the fight. Since the begin philosophically remarked on the even-elsewhere. Interest allowed on Current Account, ning of the war he had repeatedly Women are now paying two guineas Fixed Deposits and Bavings Deposits token part in attacks on the Belgian for a straw hat that used to cost

shouted "Good luck to you, boys."

There was the crew of the ship that

but for the shifting of the wind

would have blocked Ostend harbour

const. He commanded a ship at the them sixteen shillings to why not bombardnient of the German Army's Day a few more chillings? right wing in October, 1914, and was Meanwhile the Land Girls those mentioned in Admira Hood's dis splendid women who have gone to petch for his intravial behavior dis the farm to produce food for an ser patch for his intrepid behaviour. In have given London on eye-chener.

the following April he was commend. They came in their hundreds, on Saturday and marched to Hyde Park. ed by the Admiralty for his work in London remembered many of them connection with the mounting of as do-nothing, ingile woman, or naval guns in Belgium, and subser palld, listless office workers in the quently received the D.S.O., for this days of yore, and so there were gasps service. In at least one military of astonishment when they came within view of old acquaintances after nearly four years of war. They Many a man in this war has had 1900 be served as a midshipman in looked positively radiant in health, and their farm costumes proved that it is not mecessiry to be dowdy to

be efficient, in agriculture.

Some carried foresters' axes, others the three-legged stools of the milkmaid, and a protty shepherdess marghed along with her staff in hand and a magnificent sheepdog at her heels. Some brought specimens of their shoop, pigs, hens and lambs to prove their intinucy with the by livestock, and one duck that was carried by a strapping specimen of womanhood was so appreciative of the day out that she had an egg on the train, which made, as the girl joyfully exclaimed, " 32 eggs in 34 days, and she's still doing it."

Those of ris who can afford it, notwithstanding this demonstration, are making haste to get our tailors to provide for our future needs, in view the Germans anticipated great cap- this that won for him, the playful of the prospect of all the good tailors being called up under the last Military Service, Act. There is no question that the comb is being applied in earnest this time, and there is No matter how, hazardous the expublic approval behind the chairman periment suggested, if he thought it of a West End tribunal who retorted to a petitioning tailor from Bond might serve the national purpose, he Street. " The fact that you are was game to undertake it. Among making costumes for princesses and other things he devised a means of duchesses and other distinguished combating Zeppelius that I am told people glovs not appeal to me in the has proved very fruitful of results. "least. You will have to go." -

One of his inventions proved at the CLERGY AND SHELTARY SERVICE. Though the new Military Service Act in England expressly excludes the clergy, the bishops, led by the Bishop of London, are taking steps to enable the younger and more ablebodied persons to volunteer, ether The political prospect is unsettled, for combitant or non-combitant thrilled by the full story of the naval Lord Rothermere has resigned from pservice, leaving only one clergyman ittack on Zeebrugge and Ostend and the Air Force because of ill-health for each district. This is entirely in his musterful personality has found Church has suffered some blows it a herculean task to get the two through the war, and the public argue to be huminiered down. It is a job gran should be in it. As it is ad for a thoroughly fit and concentrated mittedly just to fight Prussian mind, and Sir William Weir ought brutality, treasurery and tyranny, I surely we all night to be in it on The health of Lord Rhondda, who equal terms." . To do the cleries

the attack possible, who was last approval of the Vatican whose symi- out for the war. He has been inpathies are not above suspicion, is defatigable himself, at home and at black indeed, and it is galling to the the Front, and now lie has turned people of these islands to have their over his riverside home, Fulham brugge, and then was leaning wound- older men going to the fight for Palace, as a hospital for the woundfreedom while the hulking sons of ed, and hulf of his house in St. Irish farmers, egged on by semi- Jame's Square is also to be used for educated and parochial-minded young, national purposes. A very simplepriests, in Ireland, are obstructing living mun and a bachelor, he is disrather than assisting. It is safe to charging hulf his household staff and predict that Ireland and the Roman cutting his expenses down to bed Catholic Church will yet blush for rock. "This last Budget" he told a public audience the other day " has cut me pretty close to the hone, but our cause is just, and in this crisis I would give even my old cassock for victory." His Fulham Palace is divorce cases in a week. This is an' being oun by the Freemasons, War Hespital Committee, by arrangement with the Red Cross Society. It has entered into "until death do us "100 beds, but they are not restricted part." There are still 500 under to members of the Masonic body.

PASSING ESTATES. the youth of the suitors, the short- Shrewsbury, the holder of one of the ness of their married life, and the oldest titles in the land, to sell his and waying his remaining arm and many of the co-respondents are just over 4,000 acres for £175,000. in the services. What happens in Thus territorial associations are most cases is that, as the Judg has breaking, for the association of the remarked on more than one occasion; family with these lands goes for back "the wretched woman," no sooner into English history. The Earl bethan her husband has gone to fight gan to dispose of his properties in also, who after sinking their vessel for his country, has turned to have the latter part of 1915; after the rowed fifteen miles out to sea in a good time with some stay-at- death of his only son, Viscount home officer. It is a matter for con- Ingestre. from pneumonia. Lord gratulation that these women do not Ingestre left a young widow and an wife of Mr. Pennoyer, Second Secretory of the American Embassy, and Mr. Bonar Law by his latest Bud- the infant, boy will succeed to the premier curldom of Great Britain and Ireland—that of Shrewsbury and

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The China Mail.

Honggono, Thursday, June 27, 1918.

WILL AUSTRIA SECEDE!

THE position is Austria-Hungary, papers that Great Britain is weary to-worrow. Bulgaria and Turkey invites interest- of the war. That way of putting it frequent | conveys, however, a totally misleading ing speculation. The Cabinet crises and the desire of idea of the attitude of the British the people for peace which is Empire. The British people, in comfinding increasing expression, con\_ mon with all the Allied nations, is sidered in conjunction with the in Mr. BALFOUR's words "pes ionately heavy defeat which the Austrian desirous of an honourable peace," but army has just suffered, make it they have clearly indicated from the ressonably certain that a situation very beginning of the war what they work. has been created in Austria-Hungary which may have far-reaching consequences on the war. For some they were to fight until they can considerable time there has been impose upon the enemy a peace

in Austria-Hungary a greater desire which shall vindicate the great prinfor peace than has been shown ciples which are vital to civilisation, in any of the other belligerent The German Foreign Secretary may countries, and there is very little doubt talk about the war not ending "even that Germany's pressure on Austria, in 1919;" but will the peoples of the to launch her offensive against Italy Central Powers be found prepared was with the sole object of curbing to obey their War Lords, when they the growing power of the peace realise that the tide is definitely set TINDER Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, of the detest of the Austro- even greater disasters than they have prochained a GENERAL HOLIDAY Hungarians we are likely to witness. Yet known 2 ""." a remarkable emphasis of the peace shall probably have from Germany 556 sentiments of the peoples of Austria-Hungary. There are abundant indications that the Dual Monarchy. Bulgaria and Turkey are weary of the war. Speculation as to the

Austrian Kaiser's precise purpose in personally visiting Sona and whatever other objects he had encourage his allies) the present two of plague and two of enteric feverposition is not very cheery for Kniser WILHELM Recent -events have shown how great is the scarcity of food in Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria has had eight consecutive wine this and Turkey. Bulgaria is suffering season in which he has started.

557 from scarcity not only of food but shoes and linen, while even salt is unobtainable. In Turkey there is a shortage of money as well loud. The Turkish army is German in about 125' Long. E. and 15' Lat. to all intents and purposes, lu N. moving W.N.W. This is East of Turkey pays for it with German Luzon, and moving towards the Balingmoney of which it is believed £150,000,000 has been advanced on ... The Manila agents for the Riza having arrived from the above Ports, highly lucrative terms. For money Cement Company have taken a mer-

Germany. Hence the country is idea, and have constructed a model of kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown being loaded with debt with a so- emerete lighter, which is now on displaying and Kowloon Wharf and Godown being loaded with debt with a solutely no prospect of schieving at their offices in Manila. Goods not cleared by the 4th July, any material advantage. Against these advances the Turkish Gov Tientsin in 1917 the Chinese authorities ages are to be left in the Codowns, something is sued paper money, have carried out great and costly river and the defendant was arrested ratings which must be filled by promo-Goldard & Douglas, on 4th July, at 9.30 A correspondent of the Egyptian conservancy works in the province be presented within 10 days of arrival, Guzette states that this paper money which when completed are calculated to was forced upon the people in such quantities that its real value has.

wurth or fifth of its face value, and

there is reason to believe that the

according to the latest information. Of the two men arrested in Macao depreciated to one-fourth or one-fifth in connection with the Wood Road 558 of the numinal value. The guarantee robbery recently, one, of them was of the German Government has brought before Mr. Wolfe this morning been ineffectual in preventing this and charged. His Worship adjourned. depreciation. We are told by this the case until next week as the other correspondent that German agents man, who is still in Macao, was too ill' to be removed. All the property have been active in assisting the stolen by the robbers has been depreciation by buying up increasrecovered by the Police. ing quantities of paper money at a

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THE MAGISTRACY.

of 300 or 400 per cent, out of the

mistortunes, of her ally. Germany

in the matter of food supplies seems

Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria, and

it is quite likely that the enemy's

food shortages may have a good

deal to do with their decision, in

the military sphere, to force the

pace of the war. All the 'evidence

suggests that the famine is most

severe in Austria. Hungary, being

almost entirely agricultural, is rather

better off. On the other hand, there

is little doubt that Austria-Hungary

is yearning for peace. Indications

point strongly to a possible secces-

sion from "Germany. A cynical

diplomatist, well acquainted with

the Bulkans, recently said that

understand by an honourable peace,

and are more determined than ever

other views than those to which Herr

KURLHMANN has just given utterance

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

all fatal-were reported in the Colony

Sandy ran in the Hongkong races of

The Manila Observatory at 1.30

p.m. to-day reported the Typhoon to be

1916, 1917 and 1918.

Four cases of cerebro-spinal fever,

Sandy, Mr. John Johnston's pony,

in the Reichstag.

the Bulgarians make

any, better off than

ALLEGED MURDER.

Chinese was charged before Mr J. R. Wood this afternoon, with the murder of his wife on the 24th May

Mr. Longinotto, assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution and Mr. P. W. Goldring appeared for the defendant.

It appeared that on the 23rd May last, the murdered woman left he house in Reclamation Street to see her husband, who was employed on board a Bank Line launch. did not return that evening and her sister, alarmed at her absence, re ported the matter to the Police. Th next day the body of a woman was found floating in the harbour of cash Kennedy Town. The description down, and as they have got almost the missing woman tallied with that will lose interest in fighting. There, on the statement made by the de the Hanyehping Agreement. are only two things left to fill their | newserl sister, arrested the defeneup of happiness-Salonica and Con-dant. It was alleged that the

stantinople—and both are impossible. deceused was last seen coming ushore In the circumstances their next move at Blake Pier in company with her would probably be to make separate husband and that the defendant and peace with the Entente. The news- his wife were not on very friendly papers in Germany have been at terms over a question of money. The case was adjourned until pains to show from cuttings in English

. FOUND WORK.

A Chinese youth pleaded guilty when charged before Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe this morning, with stealing a quantity of

Defendant, said he was paralysed in one leg, and stole because he had no

His Worship found him work at the Victoria Gaol for three weeks.

EXPENSIVE MANGOES.

Two boys were charged before Mr. R. Wood this morning, with the theft of mangees from a farmer's orchard. The constable who arrested defendants said there were frequent thefts of fruit from that orchard and object is to court friendship with much damage had been done to plants.

SMART SENTENCE ON A . SNATCHER.

a fine of \$3 each.

charged before Mr. Wood, with snatch. ground that Kwangtung province has ing \$100 from another, man in Holly- not yet been subjugated. wood Rosd.

arrested the defendant. His Worship sentenced the defendant to three months' hard labour.

OVER-REACHED HERSELF.

Before Mr. J. R. Wood this morning a Chinese was charged with obtaining two bangles from a Chinese woman by false pratences.

It was stated that the complainant was walking along Caine Road yesterday, when she was accosted by the defendant conversation with her. "Defendant told her that he had picked up a bundle of United States Navy and no other lanbank notes from aboard a steamer and guage is spoken. wanted to dispose of it, and asked good, as these young men will be sent exchange them for her bangles. The from there will receive their various. bangles were valued at \$320 and the big battleships. woman believing that it would be a good bargain, agreed and the exchange when she opened the bundle to find it Since the great flood disaster at

Mr. P. W. Goldring appeared for the

next week, fixing bail at \$500.

30,000 MORE WOMEN WANTED.

The Bishop of London at St. Paul's. Knightsbridge, recently said he had been asked by the Government to make a special appeal for 30.000 women to work on the land. Under present conditions it would not be possible to releass soldiers to help the farmers.

> BOWEL COMPLAINT IN CHILDREN.

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CHINESE AFFAIRS.

"[The " Chinese Mail " Service.]

JAPANESE CONTROL OF A NANKING IRON MINE.

SHANGHAL June 20. The contract relating to the Molingkuan iron mine at Nanking has been signed. A Japanese syndicate wil make an advance of ten million yen forward from the last account. for which a certain Japanese company will get three-fourths of the output of the mine. A Sino-Japanese company will erect a foundry and take the balance of the output.

The Ministry of Mines had desired to see the mine developed for Naval purposes, and protested against the deal, but the Ministry of War contended that money was required for military purposes, under the Sino-Japanese Military agreement.

It is reported that the terms of Extra Dividend (40%) everything they ever wanted, they of the body, and the Police, acting the contract are similar to those of

> THE REORGANISATION LOAN. A FURTHER ADVANCE.

PEKING, June 26.

The Quintuple Syndicate has given its consent to the Yokohama Specie Bank advancing ten million dollars under the Reorganisation Loun. The money is to be paid within a few days.

The Syndicate also agrees to the advance of a futther ten million dollars within a month under the Second Reorganisation Loan.

THE MILITARY OPERATIONS.

PERING, June 26.

The Government's plan of attack on Kwangtung depends upon whether the Independent Naval force will prove loyal to the Central Govern-

On the pretext of enlisting new troops General Lung Chai Kwong will proceed to Fengtien, but his real Tuchun Chang Jo Lum, in the hope His Worship inflicted on defendants of obtaining a portion of the store of annimunition recently seized by him at Chingwangtao.

The Government intended granting General Lung Chai Kwong the Grand Order of Merit, but General A Chinese pleaded not guilty when Lung declines the honour on the

General Ng Pui Poo arranged an Inspector Browne said the defendant amnistice with General Chin Heng jostled the complainant and snatched Tile on the 15th inst. along a front the money. The latter gave the alarm extending over 200 li, but the Minisand a constable who was on duty nearby ter of War telegraphed refusing to came to the complainant's help and sametion the armistice and ordering the fighting to be continued.

FILIPINOS FOR AMERICAN NAVY.

RECRUITING IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The United States Navy has launched. a comprehensive advertising campaign service. A recruiting office has been opened at Manils. Only 1,000 will enlisted now.

One of the major qualifications for and snother, man who entered into quent promotion is a knowledge of the English language. English is the official language shoard fighting ships of the

. The chances to see foreign lands are whether she would be willing to to the United States immediately and assignments, many of them going to the

The present enlistments are being made in the rating of mess attendant, third class, and the pay to start is was effected, after which the two men P6s.20 per month. The chances for prowont away. What was her surprise motion in this branch for those young men who are ambitious and can qualify are excellent. This is especially true at to contain only waste paper! A report the present time, one to the large was immediately made to the Police increase in the size of the Navy. causing many vacancies in the higher

At the Manila recruiting office are Filipine young men who have served an He may not have to wait as long as he ed colistment in the Navy and have been in thinks. Still I expect it will be a long Proposed by Mr. C. R. Burkill, His Worship adjourned the case until the United States. They have made a short visit in the Islands, with their families and friends and are now ready to return to the United States. The pay which they receive and the positions of trust in the Navy which they now hold should appeal strongly to young

Enlistments are being made for the duration of the present emergency. When the war is over, these young men. will be given transportation back to the Philippine Islands.

Acrial postal communication between Petrograd and Moscow began

SOMETHING DEPENDABLE TARRHEA is always more or less prevalent doring this weather Be prepared for it. Chamberlain's Colic. Cholera and Diarrhox Remedy is prompt. upon. For sale by all Chemists and Bborokeepest.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA: The following Report to the Share.

holders has been issued :-Gentlemen :- The Directors submit to you the annexed statement of the bold on the 18th inst. at the Company's assets and liabilities on the 31st March.

The net profit, after providing for the depreciation of the fleet, insurance and ships' structural repair funds and war tuxes, "amounts to Yan, \$4,312,842 94 including Yen 684,513.73 brough

The Directors now propose that this surplus be appropriated as follows: Legal Reserve Fund ... Yen 1,681,416.4 Special Reserve for War

Risk and Depreciation of Vessels to be Built and Purchased Additional Depreciation of the Book Value of the Fleet pecial Reserve ......

Dividend Equalization Fund ..... Directors'and Auditors" Fees distriction Dividend (104)

and for the Training, Protection and Encouragement of Seamenananan Pension Fund.....

Yen 33,304,816.46 leaving a balance of Yen 1,008,026.48 to liabilities under our policies in gold be carried forward to next account.

REMPEI KONDO, Chairman.

The Company's Balance Sheet to 3'st March, 19 8, shows :-Reduced Book Value of

Reduced Book Value of Launches, Burges, etc. 7,941,357.61 Buildings and Land ..... Ships Stores in Stock ... Public Loans and other

Y.177,647,054.28

3,534,836.56

Securities ..... Cash at Banks and in Sundry Debtors.....

LIABILITIES. 44,000,000.00 ShareCapital ... ... 14,841,471.57 Insurance Fund ... Ships' Structural Re-4,908,245,18 pair Fund ... ... Legal Reserve Fund ... Dividend Equalization Fund ... ...

Fund for Extension of Services and Improvement of Fleet ... Reserve for Construction and Repairs of Buildings ... ... and Depreciation of

Vessels to be Built and Purchased .... Fund for Training, Protection and Encouragement of Seamen,... Pension Fund .... Sundry Creditors...

Amount brought forward from last ac-Net Profit for the Half-

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE ORDERS.

EQUIPMENT. Vouchers have been sent to respective Contractors to cover all applications received to-date for Capes, Boots and Uniform. Applicants must forthwith attend

personally at the respective Contractor's POLICE SCHOOL

Thursday, July 4th. Men on duty will not attend.

respective Companies.

F.C. JENKIN.

IS DRINKING ON THE DECLINE

The following is from the Bangkok. I wonder if and when Bangkok will go "dry." Two years ago, few people. would drink whisky and gin at their present prices. One friend of mine is a farther that calls for any remark from little disturbed. He says he is deter-

mined not to drink any whisky when it has passed the 100 ticals a case mark. The following resolutions were adopttime before Bangkok consists entirely of the followers of Jonadah, son of Rechab.

British troops in Salonica subscribed 2191,438 in War Savings Certificates in

A delightful little bit of folk-lore

was dropped in the Liverpool police court the other day, where an Orienial witness explained that "when a Chinaman is ill be changes his name for lack." The primitive mind: says a commentator, has always assumed a mystical as ociation between the name and the person; so much so that it was held above all things; necessary, to conceal one's real name from an enemy, lest, knowing It, he might work you harm through it. So one's ordinary onme that by which a man was known to his fellow tion was simply a piece of cashou flage the real name was the most intimute of secreta. The superstition runs through ed by Mr. R. Bessett. tieth century police court. Docember, 1918.

### CHINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.

The 20th annual meeting of the China-Mutual Life Insurance Co., Ltd., was office, No. 10 Canton Boad, Shanghai. supported by Messes, H. P. Wadman, It. MacGregor, A. E. Algar, and A. W. Burkill (Directors); Mr. S. B. Nefff (Manager and Actuary), and Mr. J. K. Tweed (Manager and ) \* ceretary) and shares-The notice convening the meeting having been read, the Chairman addressed the meeting as follows:-- Gentlemen,-The report and accounts

have been in your hands for some time.
I will, with your permission, take thems as read. I will first read the Auditors. certificate and Directors' Certificate These having been read, the Chairman continued :- You will see that the

accounts are presented in a differenta form to that adopted in other years, for reasons given in our report. The change made involves having four columns of figures in place of one, but we considered that the change now made was necessary. You will note that a transfer was made during the year from 375,000.00 our Silver rund to our Gold Fund. We 1,879,680.00 decided during the year that whereas 7,518,720:00 owing to the high rate of interest obtained on silver investments, it was formerly advisable to keep the surplus of assets over liabilities in silver; the rate of exchange became during the 350,000.00 year so favourable that we decided to 2,500,000.00 transfer into Gold investments the proportion of the surplus held against our policies in Gold currencies. The position now is that not only are the

currencies covered by our Gold assets, but a proportionate amount of our surplus is a so invested in Gold. It will be convenient to state at this point that variations in the rate of exchange between Gold and Silver dor not affect our position. Premiums received under policies in Gold currencies are invested in Gold, and premiums received under policies in Silver currencies are invested in Silver securities. If, for instance, a premium under a Sterling policy is paid to our Cashier at the Head Office in silver, the silver is immediately expended in the purchase of a sterling draft, and forwarded to our 61,589,741.98 London bankers In this way, we avoid the taking of any risk on exchange, and

7,090,223.86 are quite unaffected by any rise or fall in the rate. A further point to which I must call your attention is our treatment of our assets and liabilities in Roubles. In 1915 we subscribed for Rbis. 60,000 in the 2nd Russian Internal War Loan. At the beginning of list year we had a few Rouble policies on our books, but during the year, as the Rouble exchange fell we had a number of applications for policies in Roubles. Following our principle of avoiding any gambling in exchange, we forwarded all premiums under such policies to the credit of our pecount in Roubles with our Bankers

business when it became difficult to 3,000,000.00 make remittances to Harbin without 11,500,000,00 danger of loss by theft. The results of our valuation show that our liabilities in Roubles are more than covered by the amount at our credit in 21,640,601.85 Roubles with our Bankers, apart, from our investment in the Russian War Loan-Even, therefore, if Russia repudiates this

loan, we are more than covered in res-

in Harbin. We ceased writing further

17,820,086.68 pect of our liabilities in Roubles. We have, however, considered that the sound view to take was to separate our Rouble business entirely. The result of the separation is that in making provision for our bonus or distribution to shareholders, we ignore the value of the excess over four liabilities of Rouble Y. 177,647,054.28 investments, or cash in hand, or at: Bankers. If and when conditions in Russia become more settled, we may be able to make a contribution to our divisible profits from our Rouble Fund. You will notice that we are continuing

to increase our investments in British and Allied War Loans, considering it our duty to do whatever is possible in this way. Our investments in such loans now amount to over £200,000 and you will be pleased to hear that we have already arranged to make a considerable investment in the forthcoming loan in

The new business secured during the year shows an extremely satisfactory increase, and I am very pleased to All men of No. 2 Company only who inform you that the progress during the did not attend for examination on June present year to date is even more a comprehensive advertising campaign 20th, 25th, 26th or 27th are ordered to gratifying to us when we consider the for Filipino young men to join the attendat 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 4th. difficulties with which we are faced and All men of No. 3 Company who did have been faced during the last few not on June 21st or 24th will attend on years.

The great war, with its claims upon our man power, has rendered it a matter Platoon Inspectors will attend with of great difficulty to keep our organization in the field, and in the office, up to effective strength. The great war has The recent Order is to apply to caused difficulties other than those of Mounted Police and Search Supervisors organization. The curtailment of trade and the shortage of tourage has caused First Shift Patrolmen will wear caps. difficulties in several agencies, and the unsettled state of China continues to affect our agencies in China outside thelarger treaty ports Our agency Managers almost without exception have, however, risen to the occasion, and we should like them to know how muchwe appreciate the strengous and successful efforts that have been made, and are

We propose to again pay the same rate of bonus as last year, and to may to the shareholders Tis. 7,500 to le applied in part payment of the uncalled capital. I do not think that there is anything me, unless any gentleman present should wish to ask me any question -

seconded by Mr. H. P. Wadman. That the Directors' Beport together with the Accounts and Balance Sheet for the year ended 31st December, 1917 be and they are hereby accepted and

Proposed by Mr. C. R. Burkill seconded by Mr. R. Macgregor. That a dividend to Shareholders for the year ended 31st December, 1917, be paid, and the same is hereby declared of Tis. 7,500, and that the same applied in paying pro tunto the capital uncalled

3 Proposed by Mr. O. R. hurkill, second ed by Mr. A.E. Algar. That Mr. R. Macgregor be and he is hereby re-elected a Director of the Proposed by Mr. A. W. Burkill, second-

ed by Mr. R. Macgregor That Mr. A. E. Algar Es and he is hereby re-elected a Director of the Com-Proposed by Dr. G. Z. Goode, second

all history—the secret name of Jehovah. That Mesers. G. H. & N. Thomson by and effectual [It an always bedepended | the secret name of Rome-but it is still and they are bereby elected Auditors of carious to find it cropping up in a twen- the Company for the year enting lay

# TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

#### THE SENSATION IN THE REICHSTAG.

DR. KUHLMANN AND THE DURATION OF THE WAR.

London, June 25, Dr. von Kuhlmann, in the Reichstag, bad been describing the military position in the resiest ecolours, saying that Hindenburg and Laslen, dorff were God-given geniuses, and That actually been declaring the Austrian offensive to have been "a noteworthy success." Hence the sensation created was the greater when he admitted that it was "a common idea that the length of this was was something new " but quoted

Reichstag in al800; that the duration

of a great Firrepean war was inculculable. Bat, this, continued Dr. Kuhl hore. minn, was a world war with oncemously increased arimments, must say, despite the brilliant sucwesses or come arrais, there has been nowhere chairly recognisables a desire for pencer in authoritative quarters among our enemies." He procooled to alloge that it was Germany that had shown willingness for pence, membioning the famous Reichstag nerce, resolution and Germany's weply to the Pupal note. " Horr Kubhuann denied Mr. Balfour's

recent decliration that Germany ever desired, or had even thought could win world dominion. Napoleon had shown such an idea was utopian. (" Hear, hear," from athe Cenne and Left.) the war. Herr Kuhlmann, said the

deeper the causes were penetrated the cleaner it was that Russia desired ITALIAN DEPUTIES' CONGRATULA war, with France playing the role of instigator. As regards Germany's nums she desired a free; strong and independent existence within the boundaries drawn for her by history; also oversea possessions and colonies, sowing to her greatness, wealth and proved colonial capacity; also freeblom for her trade on the sen. The achievement of these aims was an Italia / absolutely vital necessity."

# WARFARE.

BOYCOTT OF GERMANY AFTER THE WAB.

Pauls, June 25. Mr. Havelock Wilson has telegraphed to President Poincaré thank. the Lion of St. Mark surmounted by an ing him on behalf of the British Seamen's Union for denouncing "the more like a mosquito than anything most-favoured nation!' clauses as regards our enemies after the war. Mr. Wilson continues: "The Germans have shamefully murdered 15,000 non - combatant scarnes. British sailors are now resolved to boycott Germany after the war for people can rise after terrible blows. five years and eight months, to which a mouth will be added for every additional crime against non-combatunts."

Mr. Wilson appeals to the Erench Seamen's League to augumate similar movement. '

### SITUATION IN IRELAND. STATEMENT BY IRISH SECRETARY

London, June 25. In the House of Commons, the Irish Secretary, Mr. Shortt, K.C. estated that circumstances in Ireland to-day were complicated and anxious. When the Premier, early in April, explained the Government's Irish policy, there was every appearance that both Home Rule and conscription could be carried to a successful conclusion, hut since then, circuitstunces had entirely changed: firstly, owing to the discovery of a German plot in Ireland, which was a real and imminent danger to Great Britain; secondly, because the anti-conscription feeling in Ireland had been used by extremists in conjunction with the German plot.

# CHAMBERLAIN'S PAIN BALM.

the pain at once and curse the complaint the option of serving under their own Volunteer Medical Corps, which subset the event of her remarriage, \$10,000 is quickly. First application gives relief. flags. When a bottle of it is kept in the house It is estimated that 310,000 Britons had done such splendid work in this the pain of hurns and scalds may be in the United States, including 60,000 war. promptly relieved, cuts and bruises Canadians, and 54,000 Americans in the Six Malcolm Morris appealed for in Mrs. Harrison's custody. quickly healed and swellings promptly reduced. In fact, for the housebold ills British Empire, including 36,000 in £33,000 for placing the college on a firm tit is just such an embrocation as every Canada, are affected. family should be provided with For A class provides for the exemption cale by all Dhomists and Storakespers, 1 of Trishmen and Australians,

### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### THE ITALIAN FRONT ORIGINAL ITALIAN LINE RESTORED.

Latest information received in Lon-

don, despatched from Italy at six o'clock on the evening of June 24, shows that the Italians were in the mountains attacking Monte Valbella and Monte Asolone. They were advancing but meeting with the strongest resistance, though they gained a certain aniount of

The Austrians have now abandoned the whole of the right bank of the Piave and the Italian line is back exactly where it was before. The Austrians are apparently attacking from their old

The river is again rising, sweeping away some Italian bridges, thereby hindering the crossing and rendering it difficult to send back information from the other bank.

A certain amount of fighting is profrom Moltken speaking in a the ceeding on the extreme Italian right in the Aeres Road ares between the old and new Piave. It is not quite clear what has happened, except that the Italians have taken about 600 prisoners

Owing to the fact that the river is rising it is very unlikely that any very large operations will be undertaken to the east of the river. It would be folly regions of Faverolles and Corcy. to make such an attempt.

The immediate situation is very obscurs and it would be well at present not to form too hasty a conclusion, though there are good grounds for satisfaction. All is quiet on the Western Front.

### THE CAPTURE OF MONTELLO.

THE AUSTRIAN EXCUSE.

LONDON, June 25.

24./states:-weather caused us to evacuate Montello All our machines returned. and other positions on the right bank of the Piave. The order was given four Regarding who was responsible for days ago, and our evacuation was

THE GREATEST GLORY OF ITALY.

ROME. June 25. Two hundred Deputies marched in procession to the Premier's office convey the congratulations of Parlisment on the victory. Signor Orlando welcomed them with the cry Firs

Signor Orlando explained that the enemy was completely ejected from Montello and lost two-thirds of the ground he occupied on the middle and lower Piave, and also the positions between Caposile and the lower Piave held by him prior to the offensive. The enemy is defending himself desperately in a few positions. Signor Orlando added, amil laughter, that one Austrian 43 MILLIARDS IN CIRCULATION regiment carried a banner inscribed "Piave 1918," with a representation of eagle; but the Lion was depicted as calm and majestic, while the engle was in Russia.

Continuing Signor Orlando said that the truth was that the enemy was beaten. He did not hesitate to say that Caporetto, in a certain sense, was the name of the greatest glory of Italy. "Our people never sustained such disaster. They have shown how a bray The Italians were truly marvellous days. The Caporetto army had only two days supplies of flour and country districts were without flour twelve days. There was no coal and passenger trains were unable to move for Inck of lubricating oil. All these difficulties were overcome, thanks to the tenacity of the people. (Cheera).

#### ITALIAN SEAPLANES, BOMBARD DURAZZO.

LONDON, June 25,

An official message from the Italian Admiralty states :-Our seaplanes bombarded Durazzo on June 23. A big steamer was hit and fires started near the enemy hangars. was effectively repeated on June 24. Simultaneously, British machines reconnoitring over Cattarn engaged in an air-fight and brought down one enemy machine. The British and Italian

### ANGLOAMERICAN CONSCRIPTION TREATY RATIFIED.

OVER 360,000 MEN-AFFECTED

"WASHINGTON, June 25, the Anglo-American reciprocal conscription treaties whereby Briters hetween the ages of 20 and 44 in the out that Sir James Cantlie was the first United States and Americans between authority in this country on ambulance A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge United States and Americans between authority in this country on ambulance of neuralgia, whatever the trouble 21 and 31 in the British Empire are work. He had been teaching it for 40

The Canadiana' raid last night was carried out with the completness distinguishing them in such affairs. They captured about 10 machine-gune and

reports :--

THE WESTERN FRONT.

OBTAINING INFORMATION.

Rauter's Correspondent at British

Headquarters, telegraphing to-day,

London, Jane 25,

to capture one of our posts north-west higher than four and one-quarter of Merris. We learned from despatches, per cent." very cloverly acquired that the enemy has been made uneary by lack of of at least one prisoner from whom information might be obtained. The result in this particular instance was

#### SUCCESSFUL RAIDS BY FRENCH.

whom the mission was entrusted.

A French communique says :--North of the Aisne, after a violent hombardment, a grenade direl fought in the works captured by us yesterday, north-east of Leport. front was integrally maintained. There was fairly lively artillery activity in the We made three raids in Woevre and Lorraine and took a score of prisoners.

## AERIAL ACTIVITIES.

LONDON, June 25. An independent force of the Royal Air Force in France dropped six tons of bombs in four attacks on Metzablons station in the evening of June 23, and successfully attacked factories, and sidings at Saarbrucker, factories at Dillingen and railway sidings at An Austrian communique dated June Metzsablons on June 24. They brought down an enemy aeroplane in flame The height of the river and bad and drove down another out of control

# GERMAN SUBMARINES IN WHITE

NO IMMUNITY TO RUSSIAN SHIPPING.

Moscow, June 7.

Replying to M. Tehitcherin: (Soviet. Commissioner for Porcigi Affairs) note protesting against th activity of German submarines in th White Sea, Germany declines guarantee immunity to Russian shipping there.

## BAD HARYEST IN BESSARABIA.

AMSTERDAM, June 24. The Bessarabian Minister in the Rumanian Cabinet asnounces that owing to drought the Bessarabian harvest is extremely bad.

## RUSSIAN PAPER MONEY

Moscow, June 24. It is estimated that 48 milliard roubles of paper money is circulating

## TEA NEITHER FOOD NOR DRINK

The question whether tes is a food within the meaning of the Food Hoard-Order was raised recently before Justices Darling, Avory, and Shearman in a King's Bench Divisional Court. Mrs. Ellen Hinde, of Shipton-under-Wych-wood, Oxfordshire, appealed against a conviction by the Justices of Chipping Nortonof having an excessive quantity of tes on her premises. It was proved that she had 122 lb. in her house on January 28 last, and the Justices fined her £50 and £10 costs. She contended that tes was not article of food within the meaning of the Food Hoarding Order. The Justices held the contrary view. The Magistrates were not represented to oppose the appeal, and finally the Court held that tes was not a food within the meaning the Food Hoarding Order, 191 They, therefore, allowed the appeal, and quashed the conviction. What Mrs Hinde bought, said Mr. Justice Darling, was ten leaves. One did not eat ten leaves, therefore tea could not described as a food. Even if the word drink " had been included in the order this could not have been described as All our machines returned safely, despite hoarding drink. Tes leaves are not anti-aircraft fire. The bombardment a drink, but symething from which one

## NATIONAL HOME AND SCHOOL FOR

DR. CANTLIE'S"WAR WORK.

Having trained over 20,000 men and women in ambulance and first-aid work since the war began, the College of Ambulance, in Vere-street. Oxford street, is to be placed on a permanent meeting, when congratulations were The Senate has ununimously ratified offered to the principal Colonel Sir James Cantlie, the famous surgeon, on

the work he has accomplished. Sir James Reid, who presided, pointed

financial foundation, and a gentlement present, who represented a number of theatrical and prusic hill artists, promised their help in railing the fund.

## AMERICAN CABLES.

[NAVY COMMUNICATION CABLES TO MANICA

A FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT. WASHINGTON, June 19.

South of the Scarpe we took six papers that the Fourth Liberty Loan prisoners. Our success in thus obtaining Bonds will bear four and one-half information from ruids contrasts with per cent. interest is without founds the two complete failures of the enemy tion. There is 'no thought of a rate

Fourth Liberty Loan, said: "The Government expenditures will the capture not by, but of the officer to prior to November, aggregating about seniring peace among the national \$5,000,000,000. This involves assessing pledge our loyal support and service

> ""That programme will be followed August. The first issue of certificates not later than June 25, maturing October 25, will bear interest at four and a half per cent. Similar issues will probably be made on Tuesday and Thursday of every other week following

"It is contemplated that the summer time to offer the general public, directly and through the banks, an amount not vet determined, perhaps \$2,000,000,000 in certificates, for use by taxpayers in 100,000 tons may be ready for launching paying next year's taxes, which are

WASHINGTON, June 19.

The ten fastest built steel ships ever constructed average 99.9 days. usual average time before was months.

July 4 in response to General Manager Schwab's request that the yards speed up their work so that the nation's independence anniversary might be thus memorably celebrated by a "big splash! that will even reach the Kaiser's cars. The Atlantic, Great Lakes and Gul yards are all to contribute, although only a small proportion of the nation's built. The previous record was 165 157 shipyards will have ships at the

#### exact stage for launching. 100,000 TONS IN ONE PORT.

- SAN FRANCISCO, June 19. to welcome Mr. Schwab, Director General on July 4 in one Pacific port where 30,000 men are employed on building

A big company which is already building concrete ships has made a contract with another Pacific coast city for a second concrete plant," to employ ,000 men at the start.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 19. A 6.469-ton steel steamer was launched in less" than 40 days from the laving down of the keel. Charles M Schwab asked the men to "build ships incessantly." The men cheered and promised to do so.

# THOUSAND GERMAN WOMEN

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20. indications, although 5,000 German men have registered. This is attributed to the fact that many German women are married to Americans and have be thus acquired American citizenship.

# WIFE OF GOVERNOR OBTAINS

AWARDED \$1,500 MONTHLY AS

of the Governor-General of the Philip. The Kochische Volkeszeilung says pine . Islands, obtained to day an "After the war Germany will be unable interlocutory decree of divorce in the to enter America." Superior Court here on a charge of

The court swarded to Mrs. Harrison two notes in the total sum of \$105,000, together with property in the trust at busis. This decision was made at a 362 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Pending the filing of trust, Governor

The income derived from the New the amount of \$5,000 g year as along as works are also better. is, Chamberlain's Pain Balm drives away subject to conscription, but are given years, and it was he who established the Mrs. Harrison remains commercied. In to be paid yearly for the care, and support of the two minor children, who

children and to advise in regard to their

#### DRAFT TO EXTEND TO MEN UP TO 45.

Mr. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, stated :-"The statement made in some news-15,000,000 men.

Mr. McAdoo, Secretary of the Federation of Labour telegraphed Preinformation of our Flandars front and Treasury in a letter to 27,000 banks in sident Wilson as follows : has laid great stress on the capture the United States, anticipating the require certificates of indebtodness, establish the principle of freedom and

> every two weeks \$75,000,000 in certificates, similar to those issued prior to be the right of all peoples." the Third Liberty Loan, except that they will have varying maturities, not London, June 25. to exceed four months. as nearly as possible during July and

will be a convenient and favourable

payable on June 19."

#### 63 STEAKERS TO BE LAUNCHED ON INDEPENDENCE DAY.

Sixteen steel ships having a total tonnage of 89,112 were delivered to the United States Shipping Board during the first two weeks of June. Of this amount 56,700 tons came from Pacific coast yards, 26,000 tons from Great Lake yards, and 17,100 tons from Atlantic cost yards.

that 63 yessels will be launched on

Mayor Rolph has named a committee of Shipping Construction and Mr. Buinbridge Colby, of the United States Shipping Board, when they arrive for the sunching of nearly 100,000 toms

Two new companies were organized this week to build concrete ships.

## STEEL SHIP IN 40 DAYS.

# REPORT IN FRISCO.

Only 1,000 alien enemy women registered in this city according to present

# DIVORCE

ALIMONY

San Diego, Cal, May 4 Mrs. Fancis Burton Harrison, wife America.

Harrison is required to pay Mrs. Har. Chemistry Bureau-told a Senate com- and will also try to raise another the Collector's office had elessed for the rison \$1,500 per month in addition to mittee that the Allies now excel the steamer sunk near where the Seculier day and changed the door signs of the

according to the decree, are to remain TT costs both small amount to keep Harrison the right to see and visit the

WASHINGTON, June 17. Members of the House Military Committee said that Congress next December would consider making the military service age limits 18 to 45 years instead of the present limits of 21 to 31, thus adding 17,000,000 to the 10,000,000 men now registered. The new arrangement would provide an army of

#### LABOUR PLEDGES SUPPORT.

ST. PAUL, MINN, June 15. President Samuel Gompers for the National Convention of the American

"We wish to express our determination to give our whole-hearted support to the Government in the war to until human freedom and equity shall

### FLAG DAY OBSERVED.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15. Yesterday was National Flag Day. The emblem was honoured with coremonies throughout the country. Thousantis of schools observed the day with patriotic exercises. One store here sold out its whole large stock of flags.

### SHIPBUILDING ENTERPRISE.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 18. The yards are working day and night to rush steel ships to completion so that

of July 4 in California yards. Present plants in one port are being enlarged to provide 71 ways enabling the building of 980,000 tons of ships simultaneously or more than 3,000,000 tons yearly.

### ONLY 364 WOUNDED.

PUBLIC INFORMATION.

Washington, June '18. Death from wounds in the American forces to date have been only 364. This is considered as proving that the ambulance and hospital systems are 12 excellent.

The health of the men is shown by Reports to the Shipping Board indicate the fact / that there have been only 1.234 deaths from disease.

### RIVETTING RECORDS.

NEW YORK, June 15. Piles to the number of 220, and having a total length of 14,260 feet were driven in nine hours at a great Atlantic coast shipyard which is being

Another, world's record is claimed by a Texas yard, which is building large standard size wooden ships, it having erected 79 frames in 30 hours 35 minutes. The previous record was 44

In a Pacific coast yard automobiles are being used to resh rivets to the workers, who are attaining hitherto unknown speed and require great

WASHINGTON, June 15. War Industries Board has allotted 150,000 tons of steel to the Japanese Government.

# TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

CZECHO AND SLAVS HOLD 1,500 MILES.

WELLINGTON, June 20: Czecho-Slav forces are reported to be in control of the Volga in the Russian grain district. They are also said to hold 1,500 miles of the trans-Siberian

TURCO-TRANSCAUCASUS PEACE. WASHINGTON, June 15. and the Transcaucasus Turkey

#### Republic have signed a peace treaty. AMERICAN TRADE LOST TO GERMANY.

WASHINGTON, June 15. Dispatches state that Cologne, Berlin and other Teuton papers admit that the German holding, and influence in the United States are being eradicated

#### ALLIES EXCEL GERMANS IN GAS DAMAGE.

WASHINGTON, June 15. The Chief of the Unifer & States salvaging operations left some time ago. Collector, placed a confederate in it after Germans in gas damage. He said that rests. the Allies possess greater supplies and The latter, it will be recalled, was run York property is to apply as alimony in tise them more effectively. Their gas ashore and set on fire by the crew but was

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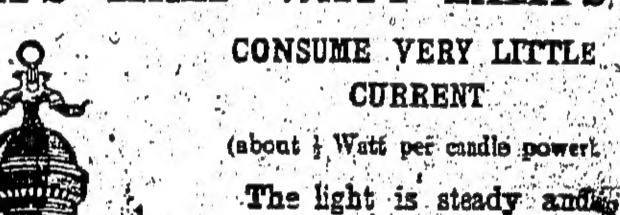
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WASHINGTON, June 18. The Railroad Administration an restored to the Army two soldiers who nounces its policies as follow :- Win- had elept on post, "because of their ning .. the 'War, serving 'the public, youth and because the offence was free improving relations with the two million from disloyalty or conscious disregard employes, eliminating waste, also paying of duty." higher wages, standardizing equipment The President says that he has

and enforcing the straight routing of "restored them the opportunity to freight, all with a view to the highest devote themselves to service in the possible efficiency. "I believe great progress has been made," said Mr. McAdoo, Director

# General of Railroads. ALIEN WOMEN REGISTER.

WASHINGTON, June 18. The registration of German alien The registration of German alien been successfully exried out by the zomen began yesterday and will con- "Yellow Kid" gang, which has been tinue until June 26. They are required operating in the Middle West and has war measures, and gloomily forecast the to appear in person with a with photo- sold \$2,000,000 (£400,000) worth of bogus after the war loss of German trade with graph showing the full face without a steel securities to leading bankers.

## TO FLOAT "SEEADLER."

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17. The German raider Sceadler, which was sunk in the South Sens, is to be The Yellow Kid had rented another floated. A steamer equipped for next door to that of the Internal Revenue

# not damaged seriously.

ALASKA MUST REGISTER

WASHINGTON, Jone 20 Prinident Wilson has ordered military In America, says Mr. Macpherson the

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Establishment of two big Chineso farming colonies in Wisconsin, occupy ing a total area of two and a half square miles-the first attempt at farming by Orientals in this territory became known with the formal signing of leases' on 1.480 acres and of option contracts on 6,4.0 acres, additional, says the Chicago Heralet. . .

On March 5, the vanguard of Chinese farmers, 100 strong, will leave Chicago for the tracts, which are located in Rusk and Juneau counties. Farming supplies, from horses, seed and implements down to bamboo field hats, have been purchased, and houses are awaiting the la bourers.

by the Moy and Toy families of Chicago's to grow them. "Chinatown." At the head of the venture are Moy Tong Chue-"Hip Lung"-the "mayor of Ch. atown" Toy Fong. Moy Fr Chueng, Moy Tony Hoy and Toy Him, all wealthy Chine se.

STEE BETTER MARKETS.

the Stockton, Cal., farming colony to says a contemporary, but it is doubtful Chicago, and a general exodus of Chi- if anything more curious has been sen. nese from that place to the new colonies than what we observed one day this on secont of the more favourable week. A young girl in the breeches and markets is contemplated.

One colony which has been established is sixty miles north-west of Milwaukee and within a few miles of Tomah. The otherist20 miles north-west of Milwaukee and near Mather. It is in the Flambeau River district.

All lesses are in the name of Hip Farming Company. It is intended to tracts, with one labourer to each divi willing to try manual labour. sion. Farming will be started at once, with potatoes, cabbage, onions and colery as the crops for this year.

FURNISH OWN BELP. Under the scheme the farmers will be fumished with their farming implements, seed and horses, but must bring their own help. Crops will be harvested on a division of profit basis.

By late in the fall ofnext spring it intended to have at least 300 Chicago Chinese in the colonies and as many more from Stockton, Cal., with many other recruits ascan be obtained. Another scheme on foot, if the venture reason to suspect him of any intentional bids fair of success, provides for an appeal to Washington that the Exclusion act be temporarily suspended on account of the war and that Hip Lung be permitted to go to China and, bring in several thousand Chinese farmers. all of whom would be more than forty years of age, and whose families should remain in the Orient; under an agreement that they must return within five

GHT SCHOOL AID. The Chinese have been in Wisconsin working on the project since early last fall, and have been co-operating with the Agricultural Department of State University.

The land which they have taken is part of a tract of nearly 500,000 acres former swamp land, which has been drained with open ditches, the manner of draining which meets Chinese approval. Part of it has already been broken, and the university authorities have been advised that the local Chinese are ready to take all land which can be found which will be suitable to Chinese agriculture.

Indian labour in part in harvesting When the first contingent leaves March nearly one hundred Chicago laungreater percentage of the 900 Oriental

A scheme also is on foot to utiliza

# HOIL PERASES OHINESS.

P. H. O'Donnell, attorney acting for Hip Lung in closing contracts with Daniel Burkey, of Tomah, head of the Wisconsin Drained Land Company. said the Chinese were well satisfied with the Wisconsin soil and have no fear of the winter ricors.

"Give to the Chinese Wisconsin for farming and all the rest of the country can fight Germany and we'will feed it." Hip Lung said. "American farmers look at their watches when they farm : Chinese farmers look at the raws of

He declared the Moy and Tay families: were prepared to take all of the peculiar "boggy-peaty" land which could be invitation to sickness. It is an found in Wisconsin and would attempt to populate it with farmers. In the winter time it is expected that the young Chinese sent to Wisconsin will work in the paper and woodenware mills in the

Clambeau: region The district into which they will migrate has been "cut" for some time, but only recently has been drained. An attempt will be made to grow all the venetables for which China is famous. but fruit will not be included, the The farming project is being handled Chinese asserting that it is too difficult

#### WORK AND THE WOMAN.

Bond-street, possibly the most aristo-Since the origination of the stheme cratic thoroughfare in Europa, has seen hey have brought representatives of some strange sights during the war white, smock of the worker on the land strolled leisurely down the street looking , into the shop windows, with her hand on the arm of an old gentleman, who was obviously an aristocrat. Evidently the young lady was having a day off and she was an proud of her uniform that she gave Bond-street the benefit of it.

Another fact to be noted is that no one seemed to think there was anything Lung, and the organization will be incongruous in a girl in breeches and known as the Chinese and American white smock promenading in this fashionable street. War has made us change many of our ideas regarding divide the big colonia into twenty-one work when even the aristocracy are

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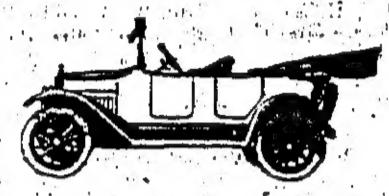
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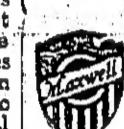


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moving W.N.W. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours anding at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.01 inch. Total since January 1st, 37.02 inches, against an average of 37.38 inches. ... Forecast for the 24 hours ending at

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OFFICIAL NIGHTS IN JUNE.

The following Table shows the Standard Time at which Official Night ends and begins during the month of June, Begins 5.31 a.m.

June 27th, 5.3Î Lemons, China, Ling Mung .... 1b. Lemons, America, -Kam Shan

Ling Mung ... 8 cach Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-Lei Chi Kon lb. 25 Oranges, (Canton), (Sweet) Shan-sheng Tim Chang , -Oranges, (Oanton), ... -... Pears, (Canton), Looking, -Sha Li ., 18 Pennuts,-Fs Shang ... ... , 10 Persimmons, Large,-Hung Tse ., 12 Plantain, -Tai Chiu ... ... ... , 03 Pumelo, Siam, Taim Lo Yau ...esch 12 Walnuts,-Hop To ... ... lb. 14

Grapes,-Po Tai Tas ...

Artichokes, -Ah Chi Cheuk ...eich -Beans, Sprout, -Ngs Tsoi ... lb. Long. Tan Kok ... ... .. 8 Best Root, -Hung Thei Tau .... Bitter Squash, Fr Kwa ... Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yan Kwa , Red,-Hong Ke ... 5

Cans Shoots, bunch, -Kan Shun " (Medium), (Small)

Carrols, Kam Shun ... 1b. Curry Stuff, English,-Ka Li Che Lie

Radiab .-- Hung Lo Pak Teai Rhubarb (Fresh),-Tai Wong Bhallots, - Kong Chong Tan Spinsch,-Yin Tsoi ... ... Tomatoes,-Fan Ke

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 27TH JUNE, 1918.

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stated.	
Pon	DATE
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Friday, 28th, 1.00 P.M.
	Friday, 28th, 2.00 P.M.
Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, India via Dhanushkodi, Lourenco Marques,	Saturday, 29th, 10.00 A.M.
Straits and Bangkok	Saturday, 29th, 11.00 A.M.
Shanghai and North China	Saturday, 29th, 2.00 Pin.
Shanghai and North China	see Saturday, 29th, 3.00 P.M.
Tientsin	Saturday, S9th, 5.00 P.M.
Philippine Islands	Saturday, 20th, 5 00 P.K.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Reclung	Sunday, 30th, 9.00
Shanghai, North China, Japan via Nagasaki, Honolulu, Canada, United States, Central and South America, Europavia San Francisco	Alonday, 1st, Registration 9.45 a.M. Letters 10.30 a.M.
Haiphong	Monday, 1st, Noon
	Tuesday, Sid, 8.00 LM.
Sandakan	Tuesday, 2nd, 11.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foothow	Tuesday, 2nd, -1.00 P.K.
Shanghai and North China	Tuesday, 2nd, 200 P.M.
Japan via Kobe	Friday, 5th, 11.00 Auc.
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HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

HUNGKONG, 27th JUNE, 1918.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS. 11 A.M.

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Celery, Chinese, -Tong Kan Taci ,, 10 Of illies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chin , 25 Red,-Hong Fa Chin ... . 10 Green, Ching Lat Chiu . 8

Oucumbers,-Ching Kwa ... .......... 2 Garlie,-Son Tan .... ... lb. Ginger, young,-Sun Tse Keung .. ? Ginger, old,-Lo Keung ... 10 Horsersdish, Shangbai, - Lik Kan ,, Indian Corn,-Shok Mai ... ... each 08 Lettuce, - Young Shang Tsoi .... each aL Water Chestouts, -Ma.Tai ... Mandarin,-Kwai

Mushrooms, Fresh, Shang Too Ku lb. Okroes ... 16. 10 Onions, Bombay, -Young ChungTau lb. & Onions, Groon, Shang Chung lb. 4 Onions, Shanghai, Sheung-kei Chung Tau ... 6 Paraloy,-Kum Taol ... 60

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Tambalsk (81)

Sungei Bagan (82)...

Sungei Parani (\$1)

HONGKONG TIDES. EXCHANGE. The tide-table serven below has been Hongkong, June 27, 1918. compiled at the National Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui 30 days sight .... 3/38 Credits, 4 months sight, ... 3/48

auring the years 1903-9. The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the syunding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below menn sea-level To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 leet 4 inches, and on the gange at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 4 inches to the height given in the table. June 28th to July 4th, 1918.

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